

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:	)	
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Peter KUHN	)	Group Art Unit: 2621
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Serial No.: 10/009,119	)	Examiner: Diep, Nhon Thanh
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Filed: May 7, 2002	)	Confirmation No.: 8456
	)	
For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR	)	
GENERATING COMPACT	)	
TRANSCODING HINTS METADATA	)	

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO REQUIREMENT FOR RESTRICTION  
AND ELECTION OF SPECIES**

In response to the Office Action mailed April 2, 2008, the period for response to which has been extended through June 2, 2008 by a Petition for Extension of Time of one month and fee payment filed concurrently herewith, Applicant respectfully submits an amendment to the above-identified application and responds to the restriction requirement as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** follow the amendment sections of this paper.